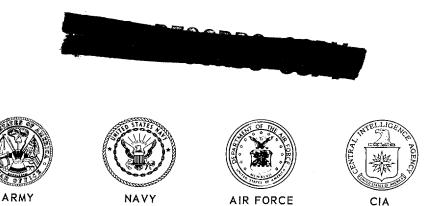
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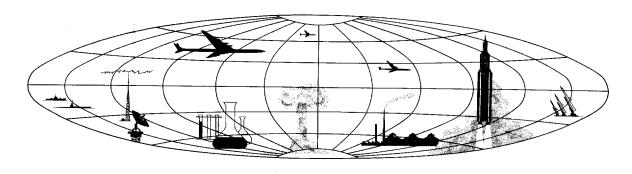
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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3330 DATED 29 DECEMBER 1962. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

	-MISSILES-	25X1
CAS	ILDA, MISSILE EQUIPMENT AREA 2146N Ø7958W	
	AREA APPEARS ABANDONED.	
25X1		25X1
SAN	JULIAN AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2205N 08409W	
	SIX NET-COVERED MISSILES OBSERVED ON LAUNCHERS. TWO OF THREE HOLD REVETMENTS ARE CANVAS COVERED AND NUMBER OF MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN HOLD REVETMENTS IS UNDETERMINED. SIX-GUN AAA POSITIONS ARE UNOCCUPIED.	
25X1		25X1
SAN	CTI SPIRITUS SAM SITE 2147N Ø7929W	
25X1	ONE HOLD REVETMENT CONTAINS 3 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, THE OTHER 2 CONTAIN ONE EACH. OTHERWISE, NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE CLOUDS LIMIT INTERPRETATION.	25X1
		25X1
MAN	ZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W	
	NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE SIXTH REVETMENT IS INCOMPLETE.	25X1
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	25X1
ESMEDALDA SAM SITE 21552 GROSS	
ESMERALDA SAM SITE 2155N Ø7813W	
SIX LAUNCHERS WITH MISSILES OBSERVED. NO APPARENT	
CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE	25X1
	25X1
	25X1
SANTIACO DE CUDA CAN ACCEUDA DE COMPANIO D	
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2003N 07553W	
THIRTY-FIVE TRUCKS, 10 AT-S CANVAS-COVERED PRIME	
MOVERS AND SEVERAL SMALL VEHICLES OBSERVED IN AREA NORTH OF ROAD. AREA SOUTH OF ROAD CONTAINING SAM	
EQUIPMENT IS PARTIALLY CLOUD COVERED BUT 4 TRUCKS	
AND 2 LARGE TENTS ARE VISIBLE.	051/4
	25X1 25X1
CIEGO DE AVILA, SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2152N Ø7844W	
APPROXIMATELY 22 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 24 MISSILE	
CANISIERS AND 10 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES ORSERVED. NO	
APPARENT CHANGE IN VISIBLE FACILITIES SINCE HAZE LIMITS INTERPRETATION.	25X1
	25X1
	25 ×1
MALDONADO SAM SITE 2012N 07528W	
AT LEAST 4 MISSILES ARE ON LAUNCHERS, 5 CANVAS-COVER AND 2 UNCOVERED MISSILES ARE IN HOLD REVETMENTS AND	ED
TO CANVAS-CUVERED PRIME MOVERS ARE PRESENT. RADAR A	ND
ASSOCIATED VANS ARE IN PLACE.	
	25X1
	25X1
SIGUANEA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2137N Ø8258W	
NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE ONE PROBABLE PF	l 25X1
REPORTED STILL IN BASIN.	20/1

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	LA SIERRA CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2156N Ø8Ø19W	
	SITE CONTAINS ONE LAUNCH REVETMENT AND 4 SMALLER UNOCCUPIED VEHICLE REVETMENTS. NO EQUIPMENT, VEHICLES, TENTS OR PERSONNEL OBSERVED. A SEARCH WITHIN A 10-NM AREA FAILED TO REVEAL MISSILE EQUIPMENT.	
25X1		
	-AIRFIELDS-	25X1
	CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N 07751W	
0574	AIRCRAFT 2 CRATE, ONE CAB, ONE UNIDENTIFIED SINGLE- ENGINE, AND ONE LIAISON TYPE. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES VISIBLE SINCE	
25X1		
25X1		25X1
	LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2004N 07509W	
	AIRCRAFT NONE OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE	25X1
25X1		25X1
	SIGUANEA AIRFIELD 2138N Ø8257W	
	AIRCRAFT NONE OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE	 25X1
25X1		25X1
	ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD 1958N Ø755ØW	
	AIRCRAFT ONE TWIN-ENGINE TRANSPORT, 5 LIAISON AND 2 DERELICT.	
	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE	25X1
		25X1

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NPIC/R-1159/62 25X1 SAN JULIAN AIRFIELD 2206N 08409W NO AIRCRAFT OR SHIPPING CRATES OBSERVED. 25X1 COLONEL MARTIN MARRERRO AIRFIELD 2150N 08247W AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED. 25X1 NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE 25X1 JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED. NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE 25X1 25X1 BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD 2023N 07638W AIRCRAFT -- 5 LIAISON, 2 COLT, AND ONE DERELICT. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE 25X1 AGRICULTURAL EQUIPMENT REMAINS. 25X1 25X1 TRINIDAD AIRFIELD 2147N Ø7959W AIRCRAFT -- NONE OBSERVED. NO CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE 25X1 25X1

CAYO LARGO, LANDING STRIP 2137N Ø8133W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE

25X1

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	-PORTS-	25X1
CIENF	FUEGOS PORT FACILITIES 2209N 08027W	
	VESSELS 2 LARGE FREIGHTERS AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT. NO MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.	
25X1		25X1
MANZA	NILLO PORT 2021N 07707W	
	VESSELS NO LARGE VESSELS PRESENT. NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE	 25X1
25X1		25X1
SANTI	AGO DE CUBA PORT 2001N 07550W	
	VESSELS ONE TANKER AT TEXACO PIER, ONE LARGE AND ONE SMALL FREIGHTER ALONGSIDE QUAY AT MALECON TERMINAL. ONE SMALL FREIGHTER ALONGSIDE LUZ PIER, ONE CARGO VESSEL WITH ENGINE SPACES AFT AT GRANARY PIER, ONE BARGE AND 2 ORE BOATS REMAIN AT BUENA VISTA PIER. A NUMBER OF CONCRETE ARCHES ARE ON THE GROUND NEAR THE LARGE FREIGHTER AT MALECON TERMINAL. TWENTY-SEVEN TRUCKS ARE PARKED NEAR ROAD INTERSECTION 5 NM SSW OF CENTER OF SANTA ELENA. NO APPARENT	057/4
25X1	CHANGE IN DEFENSES SINCE	25X1 25X1
20/(1		
NUEVA	GERONA PORT 2153N Ø8248W	
	VESSELS ONE FERRY, 2 BARGES, ONE POSSIBLE PC AND NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT IN PORT. ONE FREIGHTER AND SMALL CRAFT OBSERVED ONE NM NORTH OF PORT.	
25X1	NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES	25X1

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	CASILDA PORT 2145N Ø7959W	
	VESSELS ONLY SMALL CRAFT OBSERVED. NO MILITARY ACTIVITY NOTED.	
5X1		25X1
	LA COLOMA PORT 2214N Ø8334W	
	NUMEROUS SMALL CRAFT NOTED. NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.	
5X1		
	-MILITARY ACTIVITY-	25X1
	CAMAGUEY AREA MILITARY INSTALLATION 2121N 07750W	
	IN THIS AREA ARE 42 LARGE, 25 MEDIUM, AND 34 SMALL TENTS AND 47 VEHICLES OR PIECES OF EQUIPMENT. ONE BAR LOCK RADAR OBSERVED. CLOUDS PRECLUDE DETERMINATION OF ACTIVITY IN VICINITY OF REVETMENTS.	
5X1		25X1
	CAMAGUEY AREA, POSS MILITARY TRAINING AREA 2126N Ø7753W	
	NINETEEN VEHICLES OBSERVED IN AREA. NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES SINCE	
5X1	THE STREET	25X1
		25X1
	SIBONEY AREA, LANDING BEACH 1957N Ø7542W	
	ZIGZAG PERSONNEL TRENCH OBSERVED PARALLEL TO SOUTH SIDE OF ROUTE 5-58 BETWEEN SIBONEY AND LAS GUASIMAS AND SOME TRENCHES NOTED NORTH OF ROAD BETWEEN LAS GUASIMAS AND SEVILLA. OTHERWISE, NO CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS DESCRIPTION. CLOUDS LIMIT INTERPRETATION.	
5X1		

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NPIC/R-1159/62 25X1 CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH 2202N 08026W A DEFENSIVE AREA AT 22-04N 080-23W CONTAINS AT LEAST 13 AW POSITIONS AND EXTENSIVE TRENCHING ON BOTH SIDES OF ROUTE 4-10, JUST NORTH OF LAGUNA GUANAROCA. 25X1 25X1 MENDOZA O ISABEL RUBIO TRANSSHIPMENT POINT 2209N 08405W NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED. 25X1 25X1 -STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO CHANGE SINCE 25X1 LAST COVERAGE --JIGUANI SAM SITE 2021N 07620W SIGUANEA SAM SITE 2137N Ø8257W SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE 1959N Ø7551W GUANTANAMO AREA 1 2005N 07523W SAN GERMAN AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2029N 07559W PLAYA YATERITAS, LANDING BEACH 1959N Ø7458W MAR VERDE, LANDING BEACH 1957N 07557W PUNTA COLOMBO, LANDING BEACH 2154N Ø824ØW

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2153N Ø8243W

2213N Ø8323W

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PLAYA DE FLAMENCOS, LANDING BEACH

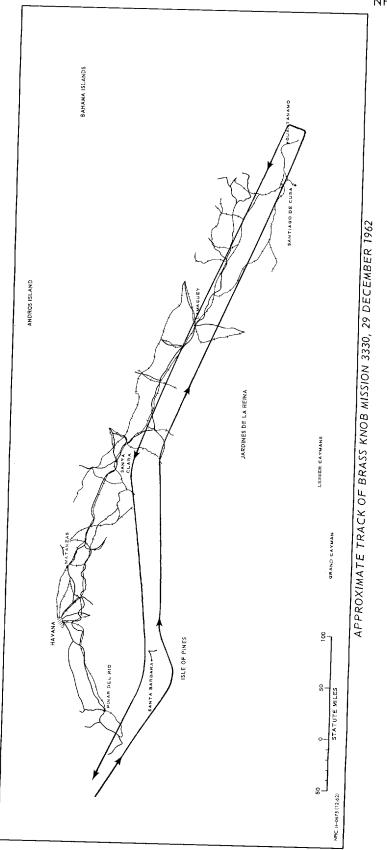
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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED		25X1
BARTOLOME (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY SALAMANCA (REMEDIOS AREA), SUSP SSM ACTIVITY SANTA BARBARA, SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY LA COLOMA SAM SITE CIENFUEGOS SAM SITE CHAMBAS SAM SITE HOLGUIN AIRFIELD PINAR DEL RIO AIRFIELD SANTA LUCIA, PORT FACILITIES MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY REMEDIOS AREA, MILITARY CAMP SAN GERMAN, MILITARY ACTIVITY SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY LAS VILLAS AREA OF SPECIAL INTEREST	2227N Ø794ØW 2012N Ø7634W 2218N Ø8332W 2202N Ø8Ø24W 2213N Ø7853W	
ENSENADA COLORADO, LANDING BEACH 25X1 LA ROSITA AREA, STORAGE INSTALLATION MANICARAGUA AREA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE	22Ø8N Ø8ØØ4W	
THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED OR WERNOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER OR OTHER CONDITIONS	E	
PINAR DEL RIO SAM ASSEMBLY AREA CIFUENTES SAM ASSEMBLY AREA VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA CAMILO CIENFUEGOS (SANTA CLARA) AIRFIELD	2113N Ø77Ø2W 2136N Ø7733W 2142N Ø785ØW 2221N Ø8339W 2236N Ø8ØØ5W 21Ø4N Ø77ØØW 2229N Ø7955W 2132N Ø7716W 2223N Ø8342W 2Ø53N Ø7614W 2Ø54N Ø7655W	

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